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## The Berry-Ball Dry Goods Co.

## Summer Dress Goods

We have several pieces of all wool suitings in light colors that would make a nice skirt for your vacation.

They are 56 in. wide. We sold them early in the season for \$1.25 and 1.38. We shall close them for **98c**

All wool Panama cloth in black, 56 in. wide, extra good value, **\$1.00**

Extra good quality China Silk in Black and White, 30 in. wide, price, **85c**

We are showing some very pretty all over lace for wash dresses. Prices, **.60, .75, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50**

We have some very handsome patterns in all linen damask, hemstitched lunch cloths, 52 in. square. Price, **2.75**

Nice line of Seersucker waisting that require no ironing, 27 in. wide. Sells for **25c**

Twenty pieces of Gingham that we have been selling for 12½c. Shall sell for the next week for **10c**

Our thin dress Muslins, Dimities and Voiles are all marked down very low to close.

One lot Turkish Bath Towels, size 23x45. Price, 2 for **25c**

Mesh Linen Towels, extra heavy. Price, **1.00**

New lot of Ladies' Stock Collars. Prices, **.25, .38, .50, .75, 1.00**

We have a very nice line of Ladies' Belts in Silk and Leather. Prices, **.25, .50, .75, 1.00**

## Full Line of

## Sorosis Shoes for Ladies.

## The Berry - Ball Dry Goods Company.

## The LATEST

in

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## REED'S

59 R. R. St.

## HUDNUT'S SPECIALTIES

We have added to our stock some of the above goods, including:

TOILET POWDERS, VIOLET SEC.  
TOILET WATER " "  
SACHET POWDERS  
TOOTH PASTE  
MARVELOUS COLD CREAM  
VIOLET SOAP  
NAILUSTER

The name of Richard Hudnut is a guarantee of the quality. Any of Hudnut's Famous Preparations not in stock will be gladly ordered.

**C. A. Currier & Co.**  
Apothecaries.

## FRATERNITY MEETINGS.

Haswell Royal Arch Chapter, No. 11. Stated Convocation, Friday evening, July 29. LEIGHTON P. SLACK, H. P. DELOS M. BACON, Secretary.

Passumpsic Lodge, No. 27, F. and A. M. Regular Communication, Thursday evening, July 21. GEORGE F. CHENEY, W. M. DELOS M. BACON, Secretary.

Palatine Commandery, No. 5, K. T. Stated Conclave Tuesday eve., July 19. W. S. BOYNTON, Commander. DELOS M. BACON, Recorder.

Sheridan Council, Knights of Columbus. Regular meetings are held the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month in Citizens Bank building, second floor. D. H. HEALY, Grand Knight. CHAS. T. LYNCH, Rec. Sec.

Knight of Pythias. Regular Convention of Apollo Lodge, No. 2, Tuesday evening, July 19. NED C. STILES, C. C. H. W. ELLIS, K. R. S.

## Saturday Closing.

During the summer months the Caledonian office will be closed on Saturdays at noon and our patrons and friends are kindly requested to bear this fact in mind.

## NEW ADS. THIS WEEK.

All Wright Water. Room to Rent. Cotton Underwear—Louger & Smythe. Summer Goods—Berry-Ball Dry Goods Co. Success—St. Johnsbury Academy. Circus—Forepaugh & Sells Bros. Farm for Sale—L. A. Ladd. Six Prizes—W. B. Eastman. Hats—Mrs. Patrick. Thirty Days—A. S. Haskins.

## LOCAL GATHERINGS.

—Don C. Stiles sent six people to the St. Louis fair last week on the Beckman tour for which he is local agent.

—J. H. Tubman, Donald McGregor, Carol H. Fox, H. E. Anderson and Adlard DuBois were the winners in Eastman's soda fountain contest last Saturday evening. You may win this week.

—Eastman's July Puzzle made a great hit. Have you seen a copy? —In police court Friday George McFarlin paid \$11.10 for intoxication.

—A. L. Bragg soon commences the work of erecting a new livery stable for F. N. Carr, on his property recently purchased on Railroad street.

—The Shaw Comedy Co. are playing this week on the Idle lot on Bay street.

—T. D. Pidgeon has closed out his barber shop on Railroad street and will soon open a lunch room. The rooms have been remodeled to suit the new business.

—The Summerville baseball team defeated the West Concord team at West Concord, Saturday, by the score of 6 to 5. The St. Johnsbury team defeated the Lyndonville team at Lyndonville by the same score.

## CLAPBOARDS

Are Still Scarce and High.

Demand exceeds supply, that's why. We ordered early. Got 1½ Cars to sell for \$10.00, 12.50, 15.00, 17.00, 19.50, 21.50, 22.50.

DO YOU NEED ANY? BETTER NOT WAIT.

Follensby & Peck.

Much of the

## SUCCESS

of a

Business or Shorthand school depends upon its equipment and facilities for work. At

## St. Johnsbury Academy

eleven typewriters of high-grade make are provided for use of pupils. Other equipment to correspond. Send for catalogue showing cuts of the rooms.

Fall Term opens September 6.

## David Harum warranted

"He would go better at the end of the drive than at the beginning." If we could show our goods the last and first, the full force, quality, power and importance of an advertisement insurance would be manifest without words or literature. 85th year, doing business in 36 States. Nat'l Life Ins. Co. of Vt. (Mutual) ORGANIZED 1850.

Gen. Agent for Northeastern Vermont, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

—The St. Johnsbury printers have challenged the bankers to a game of base ball and it is hoped to have the game on Saturday afternoon, July 23. At a later date, a game will be arranged between the dry goods clerks and grocers, and possibly other games.

—S. D. Tilton of Woodsville has arrived with his force of men and will do a little concreting this summer for the village though no large jobs will be contracted. The trustees are now macadamizing Central street.

—A social was held after the meeting of the Eastern Star, Monday evening, about 75 being present. Pit, finch and whist were enjoyed and ice cream and cake were served.

—The committee from the different churches, having charge of the series of food sales, met Saturday afternoon and appointed as sub-committee, Mrs. S. D. Atwood, Mrs. John T. Ritchie, Mrs. Orville H. Smith, to whom all orders for food should be sent. The hour for opening has been changed from two to half past two and purchasers are requested not to embarrass those in charge by asking to be served before the hour advertised.

—Try Worthen & Gleason's 27 cent coffee.

—The annual North Church outing will be held at Joe's pond tomorrow. A special leaves at 9 o'clock, returning about 5. If the weather is unfavorable the picnic will be held on Friday.

—Photographer Clark secured some fine views of the gathering at Walden, Friday, including pictures of the crowd and group pictures of all the distinguished Vermonters present.

—W. Howard of Dover, N. H., is dead. It will be remembered that this is the man who defrauded Harry L. Moore out of \$100 by promising a good position in Chicago. Mr. Moore had recovered a portion of this sum before the death of the swindler.

—A representative of the St. Johnsbury Directory for 1904-'05 is in town this week making an advance canvass for the book. The directory will be issued late in the fall and include the towns of Barre, Concord, Danville, Kirby, Lyndon, St. Johnsbury and Waterford.

—The ladies of the North church cleared \$50 from their food sale, Saturday, which is the largest amount yet taken at these sales. This would indicate that they are growing in favor, and the ladies are much encouraged with the results.

—Worthen & Gleason will have cabbage, squash, string beans and beets today.

—George W. Young was in Newport and Troy last week on business connected with the Junior Order of American Mechanics.

—A. S. Haskins is offering great bargains and liberal discounts, to reduce his stock before altering the interior of his store. This offer holds good for the next 30 days and his advertisement on the last page of this paper gives particulars.

—It will be appreciated if any who desire to contribute vegetables or flowers to Brightlook Hospital will notify any member of the flower and vegetable committee, or take them to the hospital.

—About 50 of our townspeople went to Lake Memphremagog yesterday, taking a picnic dinner on the boat and returning on the Quebec express. The day was perfect and every one had a splendid time.

## Eighty-Five Years Young.

It is not often that one can get ahead of E. F. Brown, one of St. Johnsbury's most active and jovial citizens, but last Friday evening a little deception was played on him, and he was invited down to the Church of the Messiah to a parish social, so-called. To complete the surprise he was invited to serve as one of the reception committee with Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Welch, Mrs. F. V. Powers, J. L. Couch, Mrs. S. W. Parkhurst and Miss Laura A. Jenness. A short musical program was given, consisting of piano solos by Ray Spaulding and Maude Brown and vocal solos by Miss Phebe Scott and Mrs. Walter Brockway.

Rev. Mr. Welch then preferred charges against our veteran townsman, accusing him of being possessed of unbounded good nature, endless fun and most excellent health. He closed his arraignment of his virtues by presenting him with 85 carnations as a reminder that he was 85 years young.

Mr. Brown responded very felicitously and said he would throw himself on the mercy of the court, and as there was a lawyer present, who had known him longer than the pastor, he would ask Judge Bates to defend him.

Judge Bates followed with a very happy speech, and at the close all congratulated Mr. Brown upon an event which comes to but few men and which few can enjoy as well. Ice cream and cake was served at the close of the reception.

## THE WELCOME AT THE BELFRY.

Republicans of Both Sexes Present their Greetings to Candidates Bell and Stearns.—Felicitous Speeches by Distinguished Vermonters.

Friday was a red letter day for the hill town of Walden and one long to be remembered in the history of the republican party. After Charles J. Bell was nominated at Montpelier, George T. Howard of Craftsbury, a member of the republican state committee, suggested that it would be an excellent idea to have a rousing ratification meeting at the "Belfry" and meet and greet the candidates. Word was passed around the state by the press and by telephone and last Friday nearly 3000 people gathered at the "Belfry" at the largest picnic ever held in the state. The extra train from St. Johnsbury brought 313 people, 168 tickets being sold from St. Johnsbury alone. The train from the west brought 400 and 2000 more came from the surrounding towns in coaches, automobiles, hay racks, carriages, and on foot. The day was as rare as a day in June and the heat was tempered by a cool breeze. At each end of the highway evergreen arches were erected bearing the word welcome, which was significant of the reception that awaited the guests. The house was beautifully trimmed with flags and bunting, while large flags at the edge of the sugar orchard opposite floated gaily in the breeze. Most of the crowd arrived by 12 o'clock and the first business of the day was to dispose of the picnic dinner which each one brought. The distinguished visitors were bounteously entertained at a large table spread under the trees near the house, while a huge sap holder was kept filled with lemonade for the refreshment of all.

At 1.30 Lawyer W. A. Dutton of Hardwick announced that the post-prandial exercises would begin and the vast audience took seats in front of the platform erected for the speakers. On the platform besides the speakers were the following distinguished Vermonters: ex-Gov. U. A. Woodbury, Collector Z. M. Mansur, Collector Olin Merrill, Gen. F. G. Butterfield, J. K. Curtis of Georgia, H. N. Turner, George T. Howard, Prof. J. L. Hills, while Interstate Commerce Commissioner Prouty and Judge Henry C. Bates were in the audience.

Senator Proctor was the first speaker and began by addressing his remarks to "Fellow republicans of both sexes." He said the reason we had received no news from St. Louis today was because the convention was waiting to hear the result of this gathering. Vermont has been the truest barometer of the action of the nation in a presidential election, and whenever her majority has been less than 20,000 the democrats have won. This year we have more than the ordinary labor before us. The democratic party is united and we must make the majority 30,000 for Bell and Stearns. You have nominated the two "Charles." One represents agriculture; the other manufactures. If I was a poker player I should say it was a good pair to draw to.

Mr. Dutton replied very happily that, while he knew nothing about the national game, he thought he had a good pack to draw from on the platform, and then introduced Senator Dillingham. The junior senator said this enthusiastic audience bespoke a great victory in September, and then gave in ten minutes the best political speech of the day. He briefly reviewed the history of the republican party, saying that it stood for the protection of our industries and the protection of every race and every kin. The American people are a sensible people, and we can go before the country on our record, because our record has been so consistent. The democratic party cannot be trusted.

Congressman Haskins followed and spoke of the strength of a two-fold, three-fold and four-fold cord. Between our friend and ourselves the four-fold cord exists—the tie of the republican party, the tie of comradeship in the civil war, the social tie and the fraternal tie. He wanted to see the largest republican majority ever given in Vermont.

Senator Henry W. Hill of Buffalo, a native of Grand Isle county, said he was glad to address an audience in the banner republican state in the Union. He congratulated the people on coming to the crest of the farms in Caledonia county and selecting for their standard bearer the leading agriculturist of this state and nation. Senator Hill told a few good stories and closed a short address with an apt quotation from Scott on Caledonia.

Congressman Foster opened his address with a tribute to the women and said it did not matter whether their husbands were democrats or not the ladies were all for Roosevelt. Also every woman in Vermont was a Charlie Bell and Charlie Stearns woman. He spoke of the distinguished record of the republican party and then gave a brief roll call of the distinguished Vermonters who had represented the state in Congress and in the governor's chair.

C. W. Scarf, of Burlington recited an original poem after which Hon. Charles J. Bell was introduced and given an enthusiastic welcome.

Mr. Bell opened by saying that everybody was here today for a picnic and that there was no politics or politics—except on the platform, where there was more politics to the square rod than any present had ever seen before in Vermont. He said that the chief reason that the town of Walden was so warm and pleasant was because it was so near the sun. It was always pleasant in Walden, though the last of winter there were some cool days. He thanked all for coming and urged them to stay to supper and over night. Charles H. Stearns of Johnson said he considered himself fortunate to be on the same ticket with so good a speaker as Mr. Bell and that he should let his chief of the talking. He felt sure that the republican administration would stand for prosperity and advancement. He said each one of us ought to feel a personal responsibility in the coming election, and thanked all for their loyal support given him in the recent convention.

## COUNTY COURT.

County Court adjourned Friday morning after an average session. The large number of state cases were easily disposed of, the docket fell to pieces and court adjourned earlier than expected.

The case of state v. W. R. Aldrich for gambling has gone to the supreme court on a demurrer. Also the case of Alonzo Carrick for keeping a gambling place. The case of state v. Edgar Demars for gambling has been continued and state v. G. Garcia for disturbing the peace was not pressed.

In the case of state v. Arthur H. Tisdale for petit larceny the respondent pleaded guilty and was fined \$10 and costs and placed in the hands of the probation officer. In state v. Ira Brown for larceny the respondent pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 without costs and placed in the hands of the probation officer. In case of state v. Dan Sanderson for grand larceny the respondent pleaded guilty and was sentenced to not more than six months or less than four months in the house of correction and placed in the hands of the probation officer.

In case of state v. W. H. Arkley for breach of the peace the respondent was fined \$10 and costs, and the case of state v. George Seely for assault continued.

These divorce cases were continued: Minnie M. Pascal v. Joseph Pascal; Homer Griggs v. Lura Griggs; Ida May Picord v. William Picord; Mabel V. Willey v. George A. Willey; Albert J. Amell v. Eva Amell; James W. Green v. Jennie M. Green; Dora Hooker v. Carl E. Hooker; Ada E. Brown v. Edward L. Brown; Harriet M. Barnett v. Harvey C. Barnett; Effie J. Collins v. Frank B. Collins; Edna M. Brown v. Crevis J. Brown; Maud S. Leavitt v. Sumner C. Leavitt; Mary J. Tipton v. W. J. Tipton. These divorce cases were heard and granted: Georgianna M. Smith v. Harry S. Smith, wilful desertion; Lilla C. Dow v. Sumner W. Dow, intolerable severity; Emery A. Smith v. Caroline Smith, wilful desertion; Adah F. Colby v. Charles K. Colby, intolerable severity; Winifred E. Fuller v. Lynn C. Fuller, neglect and refusal to support.

## Woman's Club Meeting.

At the business meeting of the club Monday afternoon, Mrs. C. H. Merrill, chairman of the education committee, gave a very encouraging report of the summer school, under the auspices of that committee. The first session was held Monday forenoon and between 80 and 90 children were in attendance. The teachers are Miss Beatrice May in sewing; Miss Ella L. Wilmarth in sewing, weaving and basketry, assisted in the latter by Miss Eva L. Wilde; C. H. Dempsey in elogy; and Miss Marion D. Patterson in cooking. The club showed their interest in this undertaking by appropriating \$160 to the education and domestic science committee to cover the expenses of the work. Visitors will be welcome at any of the classes at any time.

The speaker of the afternoon, Judge Henry C. Bates, was gracefully introduced by Mrs. Walter P. Smith, chairman of the history and travel committee. He said, in consenting to address the Woman's Club, he had promised to give an informal talk rather than an address or lecture; and in a delightfully chatty way he entertained the members of the club and invited guests for over an hour. He dwelt mainly upon the customs of the Filipinos and their domestic life, giving many personal touches and descriptions of "the little brown people" which have not appeared in books. In closing he spoke of the genial temperament of the people and their love of games, festivals and feast days. He touched lightly upon the problems in the islands but said the people were eager for education and the children showed remarkable progress under the guidance of the American school teachers. During his address he exhibited photographs of the more educated classes, specimens of their handicraft, and dirk knives and boleros used in quarrels and warfare, which had been forfeited to the court over which he presides, by Filipino men and women who had been convicted of murder and lesser crimes.

At the conclusion of his address he was given a hearty reception by the ladies of the club, and delicious fruit punch was served by the social committee.

## State Tennis Tournament.

The annual lawn tennis tournament for the championship of the state will be held on the courts of the Old Pine Golf Club, beginning Tuesday, Aug. 2, and continuing three days. The winner of the singles will be required to play Henry Mollenhauer of Brooklyn, the present state champion, and the winners of the doubles will have to play Mollenhauer and Tillson, state champions. The winners in the singles will receive the silver cup, first offered by the Old Pine Golf Club in 1903, and now held by Mr. Mollenhauer. This cup becomes the permanent property of the one winning the tournament three times. The tennis committee have prepared some evening attractions through the tournament so that the social end may not be neglected. The entries for the tournament close Aug. 1 and should be made to Arthur G. Sprague, secretary, accompanied with \$2.00 for singles and \$3.00 for doubles. Some of the best tennis players in New England have signified their intention of entering the tournament and some fast tennis is assured.